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In re Patent Application of :

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Examiner: Lewis Alexander
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For: "LOCALLY EXECUTING SOFTWARE AGENT FOR RETRIEVING REMOTE
CONTENT AND METHODS FOR CREATION AND USE OF THE AGENT"

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COMMENTS ON STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

Applicants thank the Examiner for the Notice of Allowability mailed August 27, 2007
and respectfully submit these Comments in furtherance of the Examiner's Statement of Reasons
for Allowance.

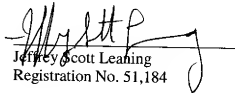
The Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance that appear in the Notice of Allowability include a paraphrased version of claim 1, which is acknowledged as being patentable over the prior art of record. This paraphrased version of claim 1, however, differs from the actual wording of claim 1. For example, this paraphrased version of claim 1 recites that a software agent is generated by an agent builder program. Applicants wish to bring to the Examiner's attention that the paraphrase of claim 1 in the Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance diverges from the actual wording of the claim.

Respectfully submitted,

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